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TAGS: TBIO,EC

SUBJECT: SMITHSONIAN SECRETARY RIPLEY VISIT TO
GALAPAGOS

REFERENCE: STATE 275387

1. RIPLEY RECEIVED DECEMBER 16 LETTER FROM ECUADORIAN
AMBASSADOR CARDENAS STATING DR. AND MRS. RIPLEY AND
MR. AND MRS. WATSON VISIT TO GALAPAGOS AND COLLATERAL
RESEARCH PROJECT AS SUBMITTED BY SMITHSONIAN HAVE BEEN
APPROVED BY GOE.

2. SMITHSONIAN ANTICIPATES POSSIBLE DIFFICULTY YACHT
PALAWAN MEETING SCHEDULED ARRIVAL DATE GALAPAGOS, AND
WOULD APPRECIATE EARLIEST EMBASSY ADVICE REGARDING
POSSIBILITY DIRECT SAILING PANAMA TO GALAPAGOS WITHOUT
GUAYAQUIL STOP. IF ECUADORIANS WISH PARTICIPATE IN
RESEARCH CRUISES GALAPAGOS AREA AND TRANSPORTATION TO
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GALAPAGOS WOULD NOT OTHERWISE BE AVAILABLE, SMITHSONIAN

WOULD EXPLORE WITH WATSON POSSIBILITY THAT HIS AIRCRAFT
COULD PICK UP ECUADORIANS GUYAQUIL.

3. SMITHSONIAN ALSO NEEDS KNOW SOONEST WHETHER 400 GALLONS

JET FUEL AVAILABLE AT BALTRA FOR REFUELING WATSON
AIRCRAFT. KISSINGER

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